

THEATERS

KUNSKY-BIRMINGHAM

A short time ago John Russell, the novelist, astonished the reading world with "The Pagan," his famous tale of the mystic South Seas.

Now comes Ramon Novarro and makes the novel a living, breathing reality. The sound synchronized filmization of this great book, photographed in the South Seas on the actual locales described in the story, and with Novarro as the young hero, held the audience enthralled at the Kunskey Birmingham Theatre last night. It is held over for tonight. One of Novarro's outstanding pictures, it introduces his voice to the screen. His rendition of "The Pagan Love Song," the theme song of the production, is one of the noteworthy

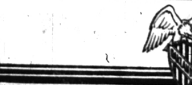
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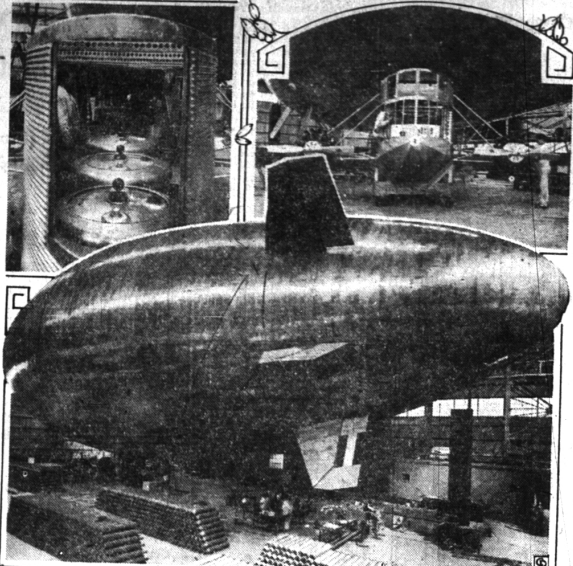
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things that has come from the cinema stage.

Friday and Saturday

Bringing to the screen a decidedly new phase of serial activity resultant from the World War and a story international in its appeal, "She Goes to War" features many traditions heretofore acceptable in motion picture entertainment. It

a picture which narrates the story which has never been told on the movie screen. Aside from the many dramatic high-lights visualized in this production which in the main are most authentic, the extreme hardships and sacrifices which became daily the routine of the women who overseas is related. Eleanor Boardman has the leading role in this picture, which was adapted from the story by Rupert Hughes.

Sunday and Monday

"Where East is East" is laid in the jungles of Siam, afar from civilization, where human lives and human passions run rampant. Chaney plays the role of "Tiger" Huxley, trapper of wild beasts in his jungle fastness, and here, with the one love of his life, his daughter, he battles the most fantastic flights of fancy. Lloyd Hughes plays the romantic lead as the young American visiting the tropics.

Tuesday and Wednesday

Texan cinema gives one of the most authentic characterizations in "Queen of the Night Clubs," because she is simply being herself in the atmosphere which is fatal to her. This picture, in broad, to the frolicsome side of Broadway's stage and night club life, portrays the deeper side, bringing before us the love, ambitions, troubles and joys of the actors in the play. The playmakers go behind the scenes of Broadway's show world, giving the night club life with authenticity and stark realism.

CIVIC

"Times and tide wait for no man" except in the grand old thriller, "After Dark," which begins its length week at the Detroit Civic Theatre.

Here the heroine, Miriam Sears, cannot be saved from the Hudson's watery depths nor the handsome, rugged, and rugged friend, Craig. A man of the fast, express until an oration is delivered by Walter Shorwin as Old Tom. The acts of moral grandeur of "Old Tom" and his sudden but effective reformation that wrong tears from the eyes of our mothers and sighs of worldliness from our fathers serve our modern generation with chuckles. Two Detroit well-wishers carry on the play, as established by Jim Corbett in William A. Brady's first production of "After Dark" by putting up a slaking "light to the finish" in the Germania Garden Music Hall. A pair of boozers, recent of days almost beyond recall, add mirth to the scenes of wicked scheming as plots unravel and the play goes on.

"After Dark" will close in Detroit on Aug. 31st, after a run of 12 prosperous weeks and proceed into Philadelphia for an indefinite stay, and a new company is to be organized to carry on the regular Civic Theatre schedule in Detroit. This brand new troupe will open toward the end of September but information as to members of cast is withheld until a later date.

CASS

The passing of "A Connecticut Yankee" into the fourth week of its successful engagement at the Grand Theatre, Detroit, shows an appreciation of Mark Twain's famous satire and an enthusiasm in our local audience for a musical comedy so radically different from the cut-and-dried entertainments trading under that style of amusement.

Mark Twain's humor is largely

WHO'S WHO AND TIMELY VIEWS

IMPROVED METHODS URGED IN MARKETING FARM PRODUCTS

By ARTHUR M. FREE
Congressman from California
(Arthur Monroe Free was born in San Jose, Cal., Jan. 15, 1870. He is a graduate of Stanford university where he obtained an LL. B. degree. He began his law practice at San Jose in 1903. Elected to congress in 1921 from the eighth California district, he has been re-elected each term since. He is a Republican.)

The primary task of the Federal Farm board should be to work out a system of closer distribution between producer and consumer.

Speaking as an organizer of two co-operative associations and as counsel for another, I favor creation of common selling agencies for a state as, for instance, for northern or southern California in order to enable assembly shipments in carloads instead of more expensive less-than-carload lots. Each intermediate handling adds commission with increased price accordingly to the consumer.

Fifty times as much consumed in this country if the intermediate marketing costs were eliminated, and the price thus made cheaper in the final market. I know of one instance by which a can of tomatoes was handled so many times interme-

keting and distribution. The thought has been to increase production generally, and there, generally the study has ended, without adequate thought as to the marketing.

The co-operatives must be taught to co-operate in the interest of the farmers for whom they are organized. The agency today is for each co-operative organization to go its own way with respect to marketing its own products.

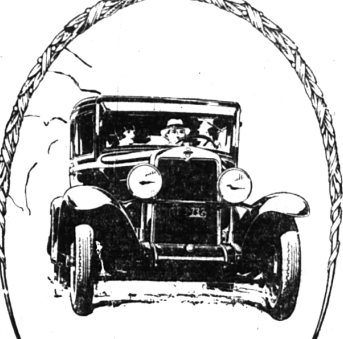
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